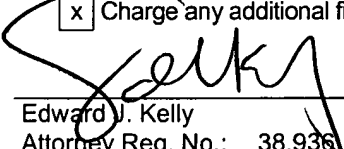




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Application No. 09/938228		Filing Date August 23, 2001		Examiner Negash, Kinfe Michael	
				Art Unit 2633	
Applicant(s): English et al.					
Invention: RECONFIGURABLE DATA COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM WITH A REMOVABLE OPTICAL BACKPLANE CONNECTOR					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Total Claims	21	- 21 =		x	0.00
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Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within third month					490.00
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